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State Court Administrative Office  
Child Welfare Services Division  
Presents:



## Developmentally Appropriate Strategies to Improve Child Well-Being in Abuse / Neglect Cases

August 29, 2013

9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Schoolcraft College, VisTaTech Center, Livonia, Michigan

This multidisciplinary training will feature local and national speakers who will discuss tools that can help child welfare professionals understand developmental considerations related to bonding and attachment, behavior, sexual development, and other considerations that can affect parenting time, placement stability, reunification, and, ultimately, child well-being. Workshops and plenary sessions will include information that will inform professionals on how to tailor service plans, identify resources, construct proposed court orders, advocate for best interests, and improve outcomes for children, while addressing trauma-related developmental issues.

**Target Audience: Judges, referees, attorneys for children and parents, and caseworkers for the Michigan Department of Human Services, tribes, and private agencies.**

### **TO REGISTER**

Access the CWS website at: <http://webcast.you-niversity.com/youtools/companies/viewSchedule.asp?affiliateId=133#detailsBox>.

Select "Developmentally Appropriate Strategies to Improve Well-Being in Abuse / Neglect Cases."

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